IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Docket No. 1/1793-3- C3-40047-CNT1-1

Johanna Jocaba Maria Meulenberg Confirmation No. 4890

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INFECTIOUS CLONES OF RNA VIRUSES AND VACCINES AND DIAGNOSTIC

ASSAYS DERIVED THEREOF

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action of August 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.